

Center for Advanced Ambulatory Surgery

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Provision of Information – A patient has the responsibility to provide to the best of his/her knowledge, accurate and complete information about present complaints, past illnesses, medications, and other pertinent facts relating to health status. A patient is responsible for making it known whether he/she clearly comprehends a contemplated course of action and what is expected of them.

Compliance with Instructions – A patient is responsible for following the treatment plan recommended by his/her practitioner, including but not limited to the instructions of nurses and allied health personnel. The patient is responsible for keeping appointments, and when he/she is unable to do so, for notifying the responsible practitioner and the Capital Region Ambulatory Surgery Center.

Refusal of Treatment – The patient is responsible for his/her actions if he/she refuses treatment or does not follow instructions.

Charges – The patient is responsible for assuring that the financial obligations of his or her healthcare are fulfilled as promptly as possible.

Respect and Consideration – The patient is responsible for being considerate of the rights of other patients and personnel and for assisting in the control of noise. Finally, the patient is responsible for being respectful of the property of others and the facility.